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SUBJECT: REVISED EGYPTIAN DRAFT DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES

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1. FINALLY MANAGED CONTACT USAMA AL BAZ, WHO CLAIMED REVISED EGYPTIAN DRAFT DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES READY AND UNDERTOOK SEND IT TO EMBASSY. WHEN RECEIVED, DOCUMENT APPEARED INCOMPLETE. HENCE, I MET WITH AL BAZ TO GO OVER DRAFT. AS I SUSPECTED, EGYPTIANS HAD LEFT SOMETHING OUT AND AFTER LENGTHY DISCUSSION, A NEW EGYPTIAN REVISION WAS TYPED UP. TEXT FOLLOWS:

2. QUOTE: THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT AND ISRAEL ARE DETERMINED TO WORK FOR THE ACHIEVEMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE PEACE SETTLEMENT IN THE MIDDLE EAST. WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF SUCH A SETTLEMENT, THE TWO GOVERNMENTS EXPRESS THEIR WILLINGNESS TO IMPLEMENT SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS 242 AND 338 IN ALL OF THEIR PARTS. THEY AGREE THAT THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE JUST
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AND LASTING PEACE REQUIRES THE FULFILMENT (SIC) OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. WITHDRAWAL OF ISRAEL FROM SINAI, THE GOLAN, THE WEST
 - BANK AND GAZA IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLE OF THE
 - INADMISSIBILITY OF THE ACQUISITION OF TERRITORY BY
 - WAR AND IN FULL RESPECT OF THE RIGHTS TO

- SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INVIOABILITY.

2. A JUST SOLUTION OF THE PALESTINIAN PROBLEM IN ALL ITS

- ASPECTS WHICH ENSURES THE LEGITIMATE RIGHTS OF THE
- PALESTINIAN PEOPLE AND ENABLES THEM TO EXERCISE
- THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION.

- IN THIS RESPECT, TALKS WOULD TAKE PLACE, WITH THE
- PARTICIPATION OF EGYPT, JORDAN, ISRAEL AND THE
- REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE.

3. TERMINATION OF ALL CLAIMS OR STATES OF BELLIGERENCY

- AND RESPECT FOR AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE SOVEREIGNTY,
- TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY AND POLITICAL INDEPENDENCE OF
- EVERY STATE IN THE AREA AND THEIR RIGHT TO LIVE IN
- PEACE WITHIN SECURE AND RECOGNIZED BOUNDARIES
- FREE FROM THREATS OR ACTS OF FORCE AND THE ESTABLISH-
- MENT OF NORMAL PEACEFUL RELATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH
- THE PRINCIPLES OF THE UNITED NATIONS CHARTER. UNQUOTE.

3. IT WILL BE NOTED THAT REVISED EGYPTIAN DRAFT OMITTS
ARTICLE 3 OF EARLIER DRAFT (PARA 3-3, REF B) AND INCORPO-
RATES ARTICLE 2 OF EARLIER DRAFT (PARA 3-2, REF B) IN
INTRODUCTORY LANGUAGE. REMAINING CHANGES ARE SOLELY
RESULT OF INCLUSION OF INTRODUCTORY PARA IN EGYPTIAN
REVISION.

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4. ALTHOUGH IT IS CLEAR THAT SADAT HAS NOT PERSONALLY
SEEN THIS REVISED DRAFT, IT IS CONSISTENT WITH THE
IDEAS THAT HE EXPRESSED TO ME LAST SATURDAY (REF C).
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